

# American Soldiers Enjoy Sunny France but Long for El Paso

Champagne, Cigars, Roses and Feminine Admiration Fail to Make Them Contented—Hard to Train by Playing at War—French Excel Them in Many Feats

By HEYWOOD BROWN

Accredited to the Pershing Army in France for The New York Tribune and Syndicate.

American Expeditionary Force, Aug. 7.—An American soldier in front of the Café de la Paix.

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## AT THE NARRAGANSETT CHARITY BALL



In the upper picture, from left to right, are Violet Dean and her sister, Mrs. Ferdinand J. Kuhn, as Dutch "Boys." Below is Miss Lelia S. Gordon, daughter of Mrs. George Barnett, as a Chinese Girl.

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## Miss Eva Brown Engaged

**Ingersoll's Granddaughter to Wed Descendant of Polk**  
Mr. and Mrs. Walston Hill Brown, of 117 East Twenty-first Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Eva Ingersoll Brown, to Lieutenant McNeal Swasey, O. R. C., son of Mrs. Irene McNeal Swasey, of 117 West Fifty-eighth Street. Miss Brown, who made her debut several years ago, is a granddaughter of the late Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll. She is a descendant of Captain Parker, of the Minute Men of Lexington, Mass., and her brother, Robert Ingersoll Brown, is a member of the aviation corps of the new National Army. She is now with her parents at their country home, Walston, Dobbs Ferry, N. Y. Lieutenant Swasey was graduated from the Yale Sheffield Scientific School in 1912. He is a descendant of former President Polk. The wedding will take place in the early autumn.

## Miss Esther I. Ritch Weds

**Portchester Girl Is Bride of Lieutenant G. S. Noyes, Jr.**  
PORT CHESTER, Aug. 25.—Miss Esther Ida Ritch, daughter of Silas D. Ritch, former Mayor of Greenwich, Conn., whose home is in East Port Chester, Conn., was married here at noon today to George Stepling Noyes, Jr., by the Rev. John J. McClelland. The bride was attended by the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. James Brugler, of Port Chester. The best man was Lieutenant Francis Noble, O. R. C., of Schenectady. The ushers were Norman Ritch and James Brugler. The couple announced their engagement Tuesday and by telephone. They will return from the honeymoon at Lake George in time for Lieutenant Noyes to report on September 5.

## Customs Men Found

**Lost Grecian Statue**  
**Posed as Connoisseurs and Gained Access to Private Collection Here**  
Unusual secrecy is being maintained at the Custom House here over the seizure of the famous bust of the Goddess of Health, announcement of which was made by the Greek Legation in Washington on Friday. The figure, which is said to have been found by Scopas, was stolen nearly a year ago from the Museum at Tegea, in Greece. A worldwide search has been made for it. Reports were current yesterday at the Custom House that the priceless antique had found its way into the private collection of a wealthy New York collector of statuary, and that its presence here became known recently, when two men of the Customs Service gained access to a private exhibition of the rare collection. The head exhibited was not described as that of the Goddess of Health, but was known as "The head of a young girl, by a famous ancient sculptor." No effort was made to seize the treasure at that time, as the owners were out of town and the agents in this city declared that the piece had a legitimate history and was not stolen from Greece. The Treasury Department notified all collectors of customs in March to watch for the arrival of this particular fragment of sculpture and to report its discovery at once to the Treasury Department. The head was described in a general way by the Treasury Department, attention being called to the fact that it was a product of the fourth century B. C., and was found in excavations near the Temple of Athena, in Tegea, in 1845. It was stolen from the Museum of Tegea. It is understood that the State and Treasury departments worked hard to recover the stolen art work. Men were assigned to work with Greek railroad laborers in the northeastern part of the country, in the belief that the Scopas head was in their possession. An order was issued to give special attention to the arrival of steamships of the Spanish Line, as it had been reported that the fragment had been taken to Spain for shipment to New York.

## DEATHS

**BIDDLE**—Suddenly, on or about the 19th inst., in the North Sea, Jack Correll Biddle, son of Julia and the late Arthur Biddle, in the 38th year of his age.

**BOWLES**—On Friday, Aug. 24, Margaret, widow of Richard Bowles, native of Boston, County Cork, Ireland, Funeral from her late residence, 102 East 14th st., Monday, Aug. 27, at 3:30 a. m.; thence to St. Ignace Church, Madison av. and 125th st., Interment Calvary Cemetery.

**BUTTERS**—Arnold C. Services The FUNERAL CHURCH (Campbell Building), Broadway, 66th, 67th and 68th sts., Monday, Aug. 27, at 10 a. m.

**CARTER**—Suddenly, on Aug. 24, 1917, after a short illness, at the house of her son-in-law, George H. Church, Adeline Dickinson, daughter of Isaac and Julia Cook, and the late John B. Dickinson and wife of the late Franklin Harrison Carter. Funeral and interment private.

**CLAPP**—Selling. Services The FUNERAL CHURCH (Campbell Building), Broadway, 66th, 67th and 68th sts., Monday, Aug. 27, at 10 a. m.

**COLLINS**—On Thursday, Aug. 23, John J. Collins, beloved husband of Louise M. Collins, Funeral from his late residence, 386 West 125th st., on Monday, Aug. 27, at 10 a. m.; thence to St. Ignace Church, West 125th st.

**CONROY**—At 1216 Boston Road, Aug. 23, Catherine Cecilia Conroy, Funeral from 386 West 125th st., on Monday, Aug. 27, at 10 a. m.; thence to St. Ignace Church, West 125th st.

**DALLIN**—Louis, Aug. 24, Funeral 2 p. m., Sunday, from Dublin residence, 245 East 84th st., at 3 p. m., Interment Calvary Cemetery.

**DE BARRY**—On Aug. 24, 1917, Katherine L. De Barry, beloved wife of the late Joseph S. De Barry, Funeral from her late residence, 147 East 41st st., on Monday, Aug. 27, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to the Church of St. Ignace, 147th and Lexington av., where a Requiem mass will be offered. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

**DORIS**—On Friday, Aug. 24, 1917, Mrs. Abraham L. Doris (nee Fria Krinski), in her 74th year, beloved wife of Abraham Doris and devoted daughter of Morris Krinski, sister of Joseph, Harry, Benjamin and Isaac, Funeral from her late residence, 938 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, Sunday, Aug. 26, at 11 a. m., Interment Mt. Olivet.

**ERB**—On Aug. 23, George W. Erb, beloved husband of Minnie Erb (nee Holland), and father of Florence and Lulu Erb, Funeral from his late residence, 214 First av., on Sunday, Aug. 26, at 2 p. m., Interment Mt. Olivet.

**FITZMAURICE**—On Thursday, Aug. 23, Maurice J. Fitzmaurice, beloved son of John and Mary Fitzmaurice, eldest son of Frank and Pauline Fitzmaurice.

**FITZSIMONS**—On Thursday, Aug. 23, Maurice J. Fitzsimons (nee Shanley), Funeral Monday, Aug. 27, at 10 a. m., from his late residence, 214 East 41st st.; thence to the Church of St. Ignace, 147th and Lexington av., where a Requiem mass will be offered. Interment Calvary.

**FLANAGAN**—Mary Flanagan, daughter of James and Mary Verin Flanagan, on August 24, Funeral from her late home, 208 Madison av., White Plains, N. Y., Monday, Aug. 26, at 10 a. m., from her late residence, 8511 Bay 21st at, Bensonhurst, New York.

**GANS**—On Aug. 23, after a lingering illness, Louis, dearly beloved husband of Marie Gans, Funeral from his late residence, 8511 Bay 21st at, Bensonhurst, New York.

**ISEAR**—Sacharise, aged 82, on Friday; husband of the late Rebecca (nee Meyers), beloved wife of Isaac Isear, son of Isaac and Sarah Isear, Funeral from his late residence, 147th and Lexington av., on Sunday, Aug. 26, at 11 a. m., Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

**JACOBY**—Suddenly, on Aug. 23, in his 70th year, Louis B. Jacoby, beloved husband of the late Fannie (nee Adler) and devoted father of Ned, Sam, Dr. Leo and Daniel Jacoby, Funeral from his late residence, 147th and Lexington av., on Sunday, Aug. 26, at 11 a. m., Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

**KALAUZ**—Frank, Funeral from John Graham's chapel, 4221 Park av., Bronx, Sunday, 11 a. m.

**KERN**—Suddenly, on Aug. 24, 1917, at his residence, 1212 Broadway, East, Kreschmer, Louis, 1st August Kern, Funeral services Sunday, 3 p. m., Interment St. Luke's Cemetery.

**LOWE**—On Aug. 24, 1917, Catherine L. Lowe, 61, Funeral private, from the funeral parlors of M. L. Murnane & Sons, 6th and Carroll sts., on Sunday, Aug. 26, at 11 a. m., Interment Holy Cross Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

**QUINN**—Hugh S., on Aug. 24, the beloved brother of Catherine Quinn and uncle of Catherine Quinn, at his late residence, 160 East 64th st., Funeral on Monday at 9:30 a. m.; thence to the Church of St. Ignace, 147th and Lexington av., where a Requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul.

**ROBINSON**—On Aug. 24, Sophie, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson and sister of Lottie and Ethel, Funeral Sunday, Aug. 26, at 11 a. m., from her late residence, 147th and Lexington av., Interment Mt. Zion Cemetery.

**RUDOLPH**—On Friday, Aug. 24, 1917, William H. Rudolph, at his residence, 125 West 125th st., Brooklyn, Funeral services Monday, Aug. 27, at 10 a. m., from his late residence, 125 West 125th st., Interment Greenwood Cemetery.

**RUSSELL**—Flushing, Aug. 24, 1917, John Russell, beloved husband of the late Mary Russell, Ireland, beloved husband of the late Margaret Russell (nee Gleibson) and father of Patrick, Joseph, John, William and Elizabeth, Funeral from his late residence, 309 East 61st st., Sunday, Aug. 26, at 10 a. m., Interment St. Ignace Church.

**SEIB**—Marie A. S., widow of George D. Seib, on Aug. 24, in her 71st year, at her home, Metropolitan av., corner Church st., Brooklyn, Funeral from her late residence, 309 East 61st st., Sunday, Aug. 26, at 10 a. m., Interment St. Ignace Church.

**SLOBOHM**—At Flushing, N. Y., Friday, Aug. 24, 1917, Joseph S. Slobohm, in the 63rd year of his age, Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at W. C. Williams Chapel, 40 Main st., Flushing, N. Y., on Sunday, August 26, at 10 a. m.

**STORK**—Suddenly, August 23, 1917, August, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Stork, Funeral at 2 o'clock Sunday, 455 West 21st st., New York.

**SNOW**—Samuel Watts, New York City, age about 65, Interment Hollowell, 92 William st., New York.

**SUTTON**—At Montclair, N. J., Friday, August 24, 1917, Josephine Florentine, wife of David A. Sutton, in her 76th year. Funeral services will be held at her late home, 44 Montclair av., Sunday, August 26, at 10 a. m., arrival of train leaving Hoboken, D. L. & W. at 5 p. m.

**TAYLOR**—On Tuesday, August 21, 1917, Philip Ketteridge Taylor, M. D., of Brooklyn and Kingston, R. I. Funeral private.

**WEBSTER**—Catherine H., widow of Rufus B. Webster, August 23, at Ocean Grove, Services at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Neason Jones, 263 South 5th av., Mount Vernon, N. Y., Sunday, at 4. Interment private.

**WOLFE**—Friday, August 24, at her residence, Tuxedo Park, Annetta B. Wolfe, widow of John Wolfe and daughter of Daniel B. Wolfe, Funeral from her late residence, 1160 Madison av., on Sunday, August 27, at 11 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

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## Catholics Gather In Kansas City

**Question of Federation's Reorganization To Be Decided This Week**

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 25.—Many members of the Catholic hierarchy of the United States are here to attend the sixteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, which is to begin to-morrow and continue until Wednesday.

The list of churchmen, headed by the Right Rev. Giovanni Bonzano, Apostolic Delegate, and his suite, included more than thirty-five archbishops and bishops and about 600 of the clergy. Several thousand delegates and visitors also are here.

The convention will be inaugurated with a Pontifical high mass in the cathedral, at which Archbishop Bonzano is to pontificate. Archbishop Glennon, of St. Louis, will deliver the sermon. To accommodate the crowds, two field masses will be celebrated in the cathedral yard by Archbishop Hanna, of San Francisco.

Archbishop Glennon will preside at a mass meeting to be held in Convention Hall to-morrow evening which will be open to the public.

Addresses of welcome will be delivered by Bishop Thomas F. Lillis and Mayor George Edwards of Kansas City. John Whalen, of New York, president of the federation, will respond. Addresses also will be made by Archbishop Bonzano, Bishop Schrembs, of Toledo, and Federal Judge Martin J. Wade, of Iowa City, Iowa.

Tuesday morning there will be a pontifical requiem mass for Archbishop Blenk, of New Orleans; Bishop James A. McFaul, of Trenton, N. J., and other deceased members of the federation. In the evening there will be another mass meeting, at which Bishop P. J. Muldoon, of Rockford, Ill., will preside. Addresses dealing with social subjects will be delivered by the Rev. John W. Melody, Washington; Quinn O'Brien, Chicago, and the Rev. Michael I. Strick, of St. Louis. The convention will adjourn with the election of officers on Wednesday.

One of the important matters to come before the convention is the question of adopting the so-called diocesan plan, whereby it is proposed to affiliate practically all of the smaller Catholic societies in the country with the federation.

**Bishop A. J. Glorieux**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 25.—The Right Rev. Alphonsus Joseph Glorieux, Roman Catholic Bishop of the See of Boise, Idaho, died today after an illness of three weeks. Bishop Glorieux was seventy-three years old, and was born in Belgium. He was educated at Courtrai and the University of Louvain.

Yesterday the Tribune Fresh Air Fund sent 450 boys to the country to wind up the public school vacation with a real country vacation. Two hundred and fifty of them are to sport until September 8 among the Litchfield Hills in Connecticut, at the fund's Shepherd Knapp Home.

The other 200 boys went to join their sisters, who preceded them by a day, to Ashford Hill, one of the high spots—both figuratively and in reality—of Westchester County. With this party went also a group of thirteen mothers of children included in it, who needed vacations no less than their sons and daughters.

Including yesterday's parties, last week saw 1,019 persons begin vacations as guests of the Tribune Fund.

**Public Believes in Fresh Air**  
The New York public believes in fresh air—in Tribune Fresh Air. This belief is proved by the fact that its contributions in support of this campaign of relief for tenement children yesterday passed the \$45,000 mark for the summer of 1917. Added to the sum contributed during the preceding years of the Fund's work, this season's contributions bring the grand total up to the magnificent figure of \$1,092,808.28.

The generosity of the public this summer has made it possible for the fund to select thousands of poor (financially and physically) children and scatter them far and wide over the fresh, green countryside, on farms and in delightful village homes. There they have been given real vacations,

replete with good times, good food and fresh air, for periods varying from twelve days to eight weeks.

As this is written nearly 1,800 boys and girls are in the midst of their outings, learning the secrets of the woods and fields and streams, making life friends among the country folk, gaining health—in short, duplicating the experience of a boy who returned from his Tribune outing Friday, concerning whom it was written:

"Ben E. who has spent six weeks on a farm in the town of Columbia, returned home today. I wired his father of his coming. Ben has had a wonderfully good time, gained eight pounds in weight and is happy."

The little lassie who came at present making the summerland welkin ring with their vacation shouts and laughter are scattered over a wide area. Some of them are as far east as the border of Rhode Island; some are as far west as Lake Erie; some are as far north as Burlington, Vt.; some are as far south as the Mason and Dixon line.

**Season's Work a Success**  
The report of the Tribune Fund's work up to date this season is a good story of success. To any one interested in children, to any one who knows their needs, it must bring a thrill of satisfaction to realize what has been done. Of course, the wish of the Fund is based on one thing solely—the deep need of these 4,000 children for a change that will revitalize them and build them up before they begin another winter of foul air, poor food and general privation in their tenement homes.

It is still possible to send these children away if the money to meet the

## Baby Paralysis Checked

**No Epidemic Is in Sight This Year**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Infantile paralysis as a nationwide or statewide epidemic is no longer feared this year by the Public Health Service.

In a report of conditions made public to-day, the service states that "no locality is there an outbreak of any size or one that seems likely to develop into a serious epidemic."

**Board of Health Order Ends Sale of Absinthe Sept. 1**

The Board of Health's recent order prohibiting the sale of absinthe in New York City becomes effective next September 1. Copies of the order will be distributed by the police to all saloons, wholesale liquor houses and stores licensed to sell bottled liquors.

**Arnold C. Butters**  
Arnold C. Butters, fifty years old, managing editor of "Machinery," a trade publication, died yesterday at Polytechnic Hospital. Funeral services will be conducted at the Campbell Funeral Church, 1970 Broadway, at 8 to-morrow night.

**McKinney—Williams**—On Wednesday, Aug. 22, 1917, by the Rev. W. J. Mollenhauer, at the home of the bride's parents, 284 State st., Albany, N. Y., Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey F. Williams, to Edward Lawrence McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. McKinney, of Albany, N. Y.

**MOUNT—Weeks**—On August 24, 1917, at 10 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, 284 State st., Albany, N. Y., Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey F. Williams, to Edward Lawrence McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. McKinney, of Albany, N. Y.

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